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vil Herald office.

Miss Ruth C. Lawler and brother,
T. Lawler, of Castroville, were
Hondo visitors Wednesday.

You can secure expert advice on
use of animal vaccine at HONDO
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Pvt. Edwin Grell arrived last week
from his base at Santa Ana, Calif.,
on a furlough visit with relatives here.

WANT Deer Lease near Hondo,
Texas. Write c/o Leslie E. Chaney,
Carrizo Air Base, San Antonio, Tex-
as. 4tpd.

Going-Away Gifts—gifts of re-
membrance. Come in and pick
them out at WINDROW DRUG
STORE.

Mrs. J. S. Nickels of San Antonio
spent the weekend with her sister,
Mrs. C. R. Gaines, and her brother,
Ray Taylor.

Just received shipment Jeris
Combination Tonic and Hair Oil,
\$3.50 value for 76c. FLY DRUG
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Miss Nora Karrer has joined
friends on an extended visit in Mex-
ico City and other interesting sites
of Old Mexico.

Mrs. C. F. Schmidt and daughter,
Dorothea Ann, of Brenham, are
spending a week with her sister, Mrs.
A. Wiemers.

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cemia, Blackleg, Anthrax, Hog Chol-
era Serum; a large supply at WIN-
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cold drinks and cold drinks. You'll
like our food and service.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Barden and
children of Houston are visiting Mr.
and Mrs. T. C. Barnes here and Mr.
and Mrs. Earl W. Howard in Pear-
land.

Mrs. John C. Lee, the former Mary
Frances Van Fleet, is here from Del
Rio on an extended visit with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Van
Fleet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bogrus, Miss
Folk, and Mrs. Fritz Martin were
at Uvalde Wednesday to attend the
funeral of their cousin, the late
Earl Martin.

Dr. M. S. Derankou is now recu-
perating at Landmark Inn in Castroville,
after a seven weeks' stay in
Santa Rosa Hospital. He expects to
be in his office at Hondo in a few
weeks.

Mrs. Jacob Reilly returned Monday
from San Antonio where she spent
several days with her daughter, Mrs.
R. E. Rahm and family, and her sisters,
Mrs. Fred Metzger and Mrs.
Betty Wiff.

Dr. E. H. Newton and son, Earl,
from Corsicana and Mr. and
Mrs. O. B. Bradley and son, Bobby,
of Kerrville visited in Hondo last
week in the homes of Mrs. S. O.
Woolfs and Mrs. J. G. Newton.

Tom D. Bridges, Hondo High
School coach, returned this week
from Camp Savoy near Wimberly,
on the Blanco River, where for the
past twelve weeks he has been
Senior Director of the boys' camp.

Pvt. August J. Cook, son of Mrs.
Mary Cook of Hondo, now has an
overseas address, San Francisco,
Calif. Before going to the West
Coast, Pvt. Cook was stationed at
Camp Maxey, Texas. He is in the
Infantry.

M. L. Mechler returned recently
from Fort Worth, Texas, where he
was sent from Hondo Army Air
Field for special welding work at
the Fort Worth Air Base for about
a month. Elsewhere in this paper
he announces his service to the pub-
lic.

Sgt. V. R. Patterson, veteran of
20 months service in Italy, is now
visiting his wife, the former Miss
Hilda Poehler of Hondo. Sgt. Pat-
terson wears 9 campaign stars for
battles in Italy, France, Germany
and the Balkans. Sgt. Patterson re-
cently was discharged and expects
to make his home in Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman are
happy to hear that their son is back
in the states after over a year's ac-
tive duty in the Pacific. Anthony
Jungman, Aviation Ordnance Mate,
is assigned to the aircraft carrier,
Makassar Strait, and has been to
Okinawa, Iwa Jima, Leyte and other
Pacific outposts, at one time
being on ship three months without
touching ground. Anthony is now at
San Diego, Calif.

STOCK LAW ELECTION

August 25, 1945

	For	Against	For	Against
HOGS, SHEEP, ETC.			HORSES, MULES, ETC.	
1 North Hondo	48	31	49	5
2 Quihi	60	5	60	5
3 Dunlay	27	8	26	9
4 Verdina	12	3	12	3
5 Rio Medina	17	6	17	6
6 Castroville	55	7	55	7
7 D'Hanis	81	9	81	9
8 Haass	12		12	
9 Natalia (no election)				
10 East Devine	39	1	39	1
11 Black Creek	24		24	
12 Yancey	34	2	32	2
13 Cliff	9	2	8	2
14 Biry	23	1	23	3
15 LaCoste	34	2	33	3
16 South Hondo	66	10	66	10
17 Upper Hondo	7		7	
18 Elstone	12		12	
19 West Devine	100	4	101	3
20 Mico	6		6	
Total	666	64	663	66

HONDO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN TO ORGANIZE CLUB

Two preliminary meetings relative to organizing a Business and Professional Women's Club in Hondo were held in the Community Building of Hondo Navigation Village. The initial meeting, for informational purposes only, was held Friday evening, August 24th, and the second assembly was held Tuesday evening, August 28th. The meetings were called on the initiative of Miss Velma Hambleton, Project Services Adviser, National Housing Agency, Federal Public Housing Authority.

Twelve interested women met at the informational meeting at which time they heard Mrs. Marion B. Goebel, President of the San Antonio Business and Professional Women's Club, explain the set-up of local, state and national organizations. Mrs. Goebel stressed the importance of business and professional women uniting for action and the advantages received from this co-operation. Additional viewpoints and information were given by three other members of the San Antonio Club.

The San Antonio clubwomen present were Mrs. Goebel, of the South Texas National Bank; Mrs. Lee Sherman, owner of the Lee Sherman Dress Shop; Helen F. Schutte, Senior Property and Supply Clerk at Brook's Field Army Air Base, and Mrs. Flora L. Gray, Clerk, Ordnance Property Section (ASF), Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Lillian Hubert was named temporary chairman of the local group and appointed a membership committee composed of Mrs. Marie Richter, chairman, Mrs. Mary Belle Magers and Mrs. Isabel Garber.

At the follow-up meeting Tuesday night twenty-four women signified their interest in the club work and voted to organize into a Business and Professional Women's Club. This organizational meeting has been set for 8:00 P. M. Wednesday, Sept. 5th, in the Community building of the Navigation Village. All members present at this meeting will become charter members of the local club.

With Mrs. Hubert presiding and Miss Anne Davis as acting secretary, other important matters were taken up and several committees elected. Mrs. F. H. Hollmig, chairman, Mrs. E. G. Pope and Mrs. O. B. Taylor compose the nominating committee which is to report at the organizational meeting. Also named were Mrs. Christine Mayberry, chairman, Miss Lucille Newton and Mrs. Earl Starnes to draw up a Constitution and By-Laws.

AN APPRECIATION

On leaving Hondo I take with me five years of precious memories of the good will, kindness and cooperation of both the English speaking and the Spanish speaking Catholic congregations and I add to these same qualities as regards the non-Catholic people of Hondo. May God bless you all. Goodbye.

C. GARCIA.

WANTED BY D'HANIS PUBLIC SCHOOL

Man and wife—man to drive school bus and work at school during school hours; wife to drive short bus, route and work in school lunch room. House to live in and \$200.00 per month. See S. H. WILLIS at D'Hanis Public School, D'Hanis, Texas.

NOTICE!

There will be a meeting of the Hondo Pep Squad Wednesday, Sept. 5, at the High School Auditorium at 4:00 P. M. All who intend to be in the Pep Squad please come!

NEWS NOTES

From The
Flight Engineer School

Issued by the Public Relations Office, AAFES, Hondo, Texas.

COMETS HOLD FIRST ALL-OUT SCRIMMAGE

Several hundred military and civilian spectators were on hand Wednesday afternoon to see the 1945 Comets engage in a spirited session of "head-knocking" as coaches Bob Cee and Paul Dawson began bearing down for the pigskin opener against Ellington Field Sept. 15 at Hondo.

The coaching staff expressed satisfaction with the spirit and enthusiasm of the squad of 35 men who are competing for spots in the starting line-up.

In ends Otto Schnellbacher and Ed Sobczak, the Comets boast a pair of pass-snatchers who should compare favorably with anything the Service League has to offer this season.

Several backs turned in good performances Wednesday. Onlookers were particularly interested in diminutive Joe Mellon, 140-pound back with a flair for speed. Young Mellon, once a Golden Gloves boxer, twice skirted the "first string" line for appreciable gains during the practice tilt. Tacklers labeled him a "slippery customer."

In Ellington Field, twice victim to the Comets during the 1944 season, the Flight Engineer School gridgers can expect a tough foe. Advance word from the Flyers' camp report a squad of 60 men out for practice, approximately half of whom are men with college experience.

Most of the Comets are high school exes, but Cee feels that many of them are promising college material for postwar varsities. The squad this year makes up in youth

and enthusiasm what it lacks in weight, the outstanding attribute of the 1944 bone-crushers from HAAF. The Hondo line should average about 190, while the backfield will hit about 175-pounds.

The Hondo Lions club members were guests of the team during the midweek scrimmage.

Tickets for the Hondo-Ellington game go on sale Sept. 8.

HONDO FIELD CITED FOR WAR BOND SALES

Hondo Army Air Field has received a letter from Maj. Gen. R. G. Breene, commanding general of the AAF Central Flying Training Command, commending the AAF Flight Engineer School on its record achievement in exceeding its Seventh War Loan Drive quota.

Hondo Field exceeded its quota by 147.23, according to the most War Bond office.

"The valuable contribution registered by members of your command is especially significant," stated the letter to Col. Robert E. Davenport, Post commanding officer.

"Not only were you asked to attain the highest quota ever established by your station, but you were also required to conduct your campaign over an unusually long period and at a time when large-scale movements of personnel were taking place.

"Success in that endeavor could not be accomplished without the display of competent leadership and careful planning. It is with considerable pleasure, therefore, that I commend you and your staff members for a meritorious performance."

YANCEY NEWS

Miss Ethel Lee Grunewald of San Marcos was home for the weekend to see her mother.

Pvt. Rolf E. Bohmfalk, who has been stationed at Rantoul, Illinois, and wife came in Sunday for a visit to their folks. Pvt. Bohmfalk will leave Sept. 13th for California from where he will leave later on for overseas duty.

George Heiligman and family left last Thursday for El Paso where they visited their son, Jimmy, over the weekend. They returned Monday morning.

The Home Demonstration Club gave a party at the school Saturday night. Tuna fish sandwiches, potato chips, stuffed olives and iced tea were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Jess Duncan and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Baker and son, Weldon, Mrs. Ray Gilson and daughter, Jessie Mae, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCrea, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor and children, (Mrs. W. B. Melton, Mrs. Robert Ward and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ward, and Mrs. Effie Worley. Progressive 42 was played during the evening.

Mrs. J. D. Baker and Weldon and Mrs. Ray Gilson and Jessie Mae were in San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Evans and family went to San Antonio. They were accompanied by Mrs. Willie Faselar.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Boggs and son returned Saturday from a trip to Lubbock, Texas, New Mexico and Colorado, visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wheeler of Miami, Arizona, are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wheeler.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH NOTES

Sunday, Sept. 2, is Communion Sunday for the sodalists.

The meeting of the Council of Women has been postponed to Thursday, Sept. 27.

The parishioners of St. John's Church met recently and decided to sponsor a Fall Festival on Sunday, Sept. 9. The committees have been appointed and work has begun to assure the citizens of Hondo and surrounding territory a good barbecue dinner, with trimmings, as well as plenty of amusements and refreshments throughout the day.

Beginning Monday, Sept. 2, Masses will be at 8:00 and 10:00 A. M.

The Sisters of the Holy Ghost order who will teach during the 1945-46 term are due to arrive on August 31st. The members of the Mothers' Club will welcome the Sisters and will give them a pantry shower on the day of their arrival. School registration will take place on Sept. 4th. On Sept. 5th books will be distributed and the children will be dismissed at noon.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF YOUR LIVESTOCK

We have installed a twenty cubic foot refrigerator which is well stocked with best animal vaccines available.

HONDO VETERINARY LABORATORY

FOR SALE

1 Farmall F-12 tractor on good rubber with planter and cultivator, all in one-A condition; for \$750.00. 3tpd. ED. E. SAATHOFF.

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AMENDMENT ELECTION

August 25, 1945

		TOTAL	SOLDIER VOTING		LEGISLA- TORS' PAY		SUPREME COURT		SOCIAL WELFARE	
			Approval	Against	Approval	Against	Approval	Against	Approval	Against
1	North Hondo	48	31	15	3	41	5	40	11	33
2	Quihi	65	31	31	3	59	7	52	10	50
3	Dunlay	35	16	18	1	33		34	3	31
4	Verdina	12	3	9	1	11		12	4	8
5	Rio Medina	23	17	4	2	18	6	14	8	13
6	Castroville	62	34	15	8	39	9	37	14	30
7	D'Hanis	90	67	19	21	57	26	53	41	41
8	Haass	12	9	3		12		12		12
9	Natalia (no election)									
10	East Devine	40	32	5	6	34	12	22	21	13
1	Black Creek	24	11	12	4	20	5	19	11	13
2	Yancey	37	25	10	7	29	17	20	14	18
3	Cliff	11	11		1	8	1	9	1	9
4	Biry	26	16	6	2	21	4	20	6	17
5	LaCoste	36	22	10	6	28	8	25	12	22
6	South Hondo	76	53	19	19	55	26	49	31	41
7	Upper Hondo	7	5	1		7	7		2	4
8	Elstone	12	2	10		12		12		12
9	West Devine	106	93	11	21	85	48	53	60	43
0	Mico	6	4			3		3	1	2
Total		728	482	198	105	572	181	486	250	412

NEW GROUP OF MEN INDUCTED

Inducted in the service of their country, a group of Medina County men reported to Fort Sam Houston on August 14th. They are:

Branch Thomas Keller, LaCoste—Army.

Elmo Haskell Stewart, Devine—Army.

Ira Woods Crutchfield, Devine—Army.

Howard Hugo Huesser, Hondo—Army.

Fielding George Wiemers, Hondo—Army.

Albert Mechier Jr., Castroville—Army.

Carroll Julius Ahr, LaCoste—Army.

Antonio Ariola Alvarado, LaCoste—Army.

Ronald Allen Moeller, LaCoste—Army.

Paulino Medina, D'Hanis—Army.

Senon Valdez, Hondo—Navy.

On August 8, Jack William Schott of Devine volunteered and was inducted into the Marine Corps.

Another Devine youth, Elzie Victor Farr, volunteered on August 22nd for service in the Army.

Drafting of men will continue for some time, according to Mr. J. R. Chancey of the Medina County Draft Board.

HONDO OWLS TO MEET WITH COACH BRIDGES

Coach Tom Bridges has issued a call for all football boys to report to the high school Friday, August 31st, at 9:00 o'clock for the purpose of receiving equipment. Practice will begin at 9:00 o'clock Saturday, Sept. 1st. There will be two practices held daily, morning and afternoon. Morning practice will be held from 8:30 until 10:30; afternoon practice from 3:00 until 5:00. The two practices a day will continue until school opens on Monday, Sept. 10th, then the Owls will settle down to one practice a day.

Coach Bridges is faced with the problem of building almost an entirely new line, having lost five of his regular starters; however, the backfield is almost intact from last year, having lost only one starter. With ten lettermen returning and some 25 to 30 squadmen, Coach Bridges hopes to field a team that the school and fans will admire and respect.

The Owls will open their first game on Friday night, Sept. 14th, at 8:00 o'clock, Barry Field, with the Devine Warhorses. The season's schedule for the Owls is as follows:

Sept. 14—Devine at Hondo.
Sept. 21—Pearsall at Hondo.
Sept. 28—Cottulla at Hondo.
Oct. 5—Sabinal at Hondo.
Oct. 12—Harlandale, San Antonio, at Harlandale.
Oct. 26—Uvalde at Uvalde (District game).
Nov. 9—Del Rio at Del Rio (District game).
Nov. 16—Carrizo Springs at Hondo.
Nov. 23—Eagle Pass at Hondo.

HONDO BOY RELEASED FROM JAPS

The Edwin F. Bende family was made happy by the receipt from the War Department at Washington, Monday, August 27th, of the following telegram:

The Secretary of War desires me to inform you that your son's name, S/Sgt. Wesley H. Bende, appears on a list of personnel at Camp Hotel, Mukden, Manchuria, dated August twenty-sixth, received from the American Camp Commander. As further information is received you will be informed.

E. F. WITSELL, Acting the Adjutant General of the Army. Wesley enlisted in the regular army six years ago and at that time left, on August 28th, for the Philippine Islands. He was taken captive there by the Japs when they took possession of the Islands in 1942. Later he was transferred by them to a prison in Manchuria and it is presumed that he is among the prisoners of war released by the Russians who recently invaded that country. Though no word has been received from him direct, the family is hoping for his return home at any time.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

C. R. Brewster, Pastor
September is Church Loyalty and Attendance Month. Every member who is not sick in bed should attend the first service Sunday A. M. The Communion meditation will be "Opening Heaven's Windows."

At 8:00 P. M. Rev. J. Roy Hilliard will preach for us and after preaching service conduct the Fourth Quarterly Conference. Every official member should by all means attend. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Sunday.

We shall expect to see you at Church Sunday.
"The Friendly Church for Friendly Folk."

LOST—One Hereford muley cow, about 3 years old, branded T. I. on right hip. For reward notify GEORGE SCHUEHLE. 4tpd.

USO NEWS NOTES

'Texas Hay Ride'

A large number of picnic enthusiasts piled on a truck last Saturday evening and were transported out to Masonic Springs for a picnic. While the dark clouds kept some away, those who attended took care of most of the "eats". The reaction to this picnic was echoed in the words of the participants—"When will we have another?"

Our thanks go to Mr. James Amberson for the use of his truck and to Mrs. Amanda Muennink for the permission to use her property.

USO Concert Hour

Last Friday the USO Club received another popular pastime by having the first of a series of Concert Hours which will be staged in the Music Room. These Concert Hours will be held each Friday evening at 8:30 p. m. This week's program will be as follows:

Flying Dutchman Overture—Wagner
Symphony No. 4 in F Minor—Tschaiikowsky
Les Preludes—Liszt
Dancing Doll—Lily Pons, Andre Kostelanetz
Home Sweet Home

Click! Click!

Don't forget the 'Photo of Dogs' contest which is now open and will run through September 16th. This contest is open to all members of the armed forces and their immediate families. Pictures are to be no larger than 8 x 10. These photos may be turned in at any time and will be exhibited at the club.

Handicraft Group

Interest in handicraft is increasing steadily and each day people may be seen in the Arts and Crafts room doing leather work and shellcraft.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Japs Prepared for Occupation; Industry Given Go-Ahead Sign; Revamp Agriculture Department

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



The war over, industry turned to the big job of reconversion. Getting a head start, this stove plant in Detroit, Mich., already is turning out gas ranges on a quantity basis.

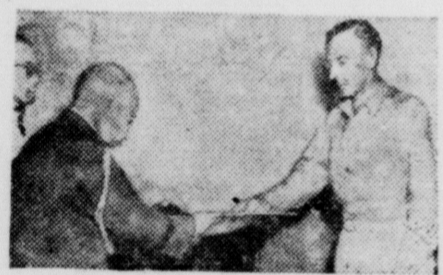
JAPAN: Occupation Readied

The Japanese government having made every preparation to avoid disturbances, powerful American armed forces were scheduled to take over occupation duties in Nippon, with air-borne sky-troopers the first to land in the bomb-shattered islands.

Having striven mightily to control fanatical die-hards, Premier Higashi-Kuni's new regime moved strong Japanese garrisons out of the Tokyo area where U. S. landings were scheduled to take place to prevent outbreaks. Meanwhile, the population was warned not to fraternize with the occupation forces.

With plans for the U. S. landings and signing of the formal surrender to General MacArthur in the Tokyo area worked out at preliminary conferences at Manila, the Jap newspaper Asahi said the American delegation headed by Lt. Gen. Richard K. Sutherland treated Nipponese envoys fairly and displayed understanding in drawing up occupation arrangements menaced by die-hards.

Though the influential Jap news agency Domei declared that Japan's capitulation must be considered a surrender in every sense of the term,



Lieutenant General Kawabe presents credentials to Lieutenant General Sutherland at Manila surrender conference.

it added that the Potsdam ultimatum evinced leniency to the extent of permitting Nipponese soldiers to return peacefully to the homeland; allowing non-war industries to operate and participate in world trade, and limiting occupation to certain areas.

Elation over the formal signing of the surrender in the Tokyo area was dampened by the threat of civil war in China, where the northern Communist faction headed by Mao Tze-tung worked as a separate governmental unit in defiance of the central regime of Chiang Kai-shek. Backing Chiang, but seeking an amicable settlement of differences between the two elements, U. S. Ambassador Patrick Hurley worked strenuously to bring the dissidents together.

RECONVERSION: Bars Down

With government removal of most controls except those designed to assure equitable distribution of scarce materials to speed up all-out production, manufacturers were given the green light on reconversion.

At the same time, the department of agriculture abolished limitations on the amount of fluid milk, light cream, buttermilk and chocolate milk that distributors could sell to civilians, and the office of defense transportation lifted restrictions on the operation of inter-city buses and permitted travel on railroad passenger trains returning after troop movements.

In taking down the bars to civilian output, the War Production board declared the sky was the limit in the manufacture of refrigerators, radios, stoves, electric fans, wash-

ing machines and other laundry equipment.

Restrictions also were lifted on production of distilled spirits, trucks, oil furnaces, construction machinery, metal furniture, motorcycles, photographic film, storage batteries, caskets, flashlights, silk and cotton duck, matches, paper cups and food containers, waxed paper and sanitary napkins.

In addition to removing controls on civilian consumer output, the WPB also acted to speed up manufacture of such industrial and commercial items as machine tools, shipping containers, pulpwood, dental burrs and other dental equipment, jute and allied products and many chemicals.

In line with the government policy of maintaining close supervision over scarce materials to help speed up output, WPB revealed that control would be retained over distribution of textiles for manufacture of women's dresses until supply balanced demand. Manufacturers producing apparel certified as essential by WPB will be given priority on material.

Taxes Total 44 Billion

With income taxes accounting for more than half the total, the U. S. collected almost 44 billion dollars in taxes in 1944, approximately 3½ billion more than in the preceding year.

At almost 24 billion dollars, income taxes topped the list, with liquor levies next at 2½ billion; miscellaneous, 1 billion, 430 million; tobacco, 930 million; manufacturers' excises on goods, 782 million; jewelry, furs, toilet preparations and luggage, 424 million; amusements, 357 million, and auto stamps, 128 million.

Representing an increase of over 40 million dollars over 1943, employment taxes totalled over 1 billion, 779 million.

AGRICULTURE:

Reorganize Department

Created in 1933 to help lift farmers out of the depression slough, and revamped in 1938 to give them a greater voice in its formulation of programs, the Agricultural Adjustment agency—the famed triple AAA—passed out of existence in a reorganization of the department of agriculture by Secretary Clinton Anderson.

Henceforth, AAA duties will be undertaken by a new super-agency charged with integrating the varied department of agriculture operations. Thousands of local and state AAA agents will be retained for the production and marketing programs, while crop adjustment legislation remains on the statute books for future use.

Organized primarily along commodity lines, the new super-agency, known as the production and marketing administration, will be headed by J. B. Hutson, with directors for the livestock, dairy, poultry, fats and oils, fruits and vegetables, sugar, grains and tobacco industries.

In addition to AAA, the new production and marketing administration will take over the offices of basic commodities, supply, marketing services, requirements and allocations, price, transportation, materials and facilities, labor, home food supply of investigatory services and the surplus commodities and federal crop insurance corporations.

MEAT:

Remove Set Asides

Reflecting decreased military demands and prospects of a heavy run of cattle in the coming months, the government removed set-aside orders of beef, veal and ham under which packers were required to reserve certain output for the services.

As in the case of the removal of rationing of canned fruits and vegetables because of heavy reductions in military orders, smaller service requirements may also result in an early end to meat control.

Though the government still will be seeking large quantities of meat for the services and relief programs abroad, the new ruling suspending set-asides means that its procurement agencies will have to bid for products along with civilians.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS:

British Policy

Though the British Laborite and Conservative may differ on internal problems, they stand as one on foreign affairs for the preservation of the country's vital overseas interests, and this could not have been demonstrated more strongly than in the foreign minister's declaration of the new government's policy before commons.

In enunciating the policy, big and burly Ernest Bevin revealed that the Laborites would hew to the path worked out by Churchill's coalition government and embracing a strong union of Democratic nations in western Europe; preservation of vital economic and military interests in the Near East, and retention of the Asiatic empire.

Though Britain's No. 1 labor boss, Bevin handled Russia roughly, declaring that the present Red-backed Bulgarian, Hungarian and Romanian governments represented a switch from one brand of totalitarianism to another, and could not be recognized by London.

Try Quisling

Charged with military and civil treason, 16 specific murders and various other crimes, Vidkun Quisling stood trial in Oslo, Norway, for collaboration with the Germans, openly defiant despite the array of evidence presented by the prosecution.

No sooner had the trial opened than Prosecutor Schjoedd threw a bombshell into the proceedings by declaring that

Vidkun Quisling

Quisling had received \$80,000 in gold for his part in planning the German invasion of the country. The whole operation was conducted in conformity with information Quisling had supplied in frequent visits to Germany. Schjoedd said, basing his charges on documents reportedly discovered in the Reich.

Hard pressed, Quisling asserted that his collaboration spared not only Norway but the entire Scandinavian peninsula from becoming a battleground.

Free Elections

Hopes for U. S., British, French and Russian assurance of free elections in Red-dominated European states were dimmed by Moscow's refusal to participate in the observation of the forthcoming Greek balloting on the grounds that it did not approve of interference in the voting of foreign governments.

Russia defined its position even as the U. S. and Britain raked the Red-backed Bulgarian government's election plans, calling for the balloting on only one slate of candidates picked by the coalition regime. Opposition was based on the allegation that the coalition government is not widely representative of the Bulgarian people, but is dominated by communists, who put up a single slate sympathetic to the party.

In refusing to jointly participate in guaranteeing free elections, Russia could hearken back to the Potsdam declaration, which failed to set up machinery to assure unfettered voting in Poland.

LEND-LEASE:

Comes to End

Passed to aid countries whose defense was considered vital to the U. S., the \$40,000,000,000 lend-lease program was brought to an end as observers speculated on the effects of the termination upon war-shattered European economies.

Because of the desire to avoid social unrest and political disturbances, credit may be quickly extended to foreign purchasers through the recently expanded Export-Import bank of the U. S., set up to finance American buying and selling abroad.

Though lend-lease was officially ended, requisitions presently contracted for on behalf of France, Belgium and the Netherlands under special rearmament plans will be completed.

FEEDER STOCK:

Although estimates of actual numbers of cattle on feed on August 1 have not been made, available information indicates that the number this year, while 16 per cent larger than last, was smaller than the August 1 number in any other year since 1937.

Compared with last year, the numbers on feed on August 1 this year were up in all but Ohio, Indiana and Michigan, with the largest increases in the western corn belt states.

Washington Digest

India's Army Force For Unifying Country

Common Language and Habits Tend to Break Down Former Prejudices; Troops Take Leadership in Communal Affairs.

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.



WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street NW, Washington, D. C.

One heartening postwar picture arose out of the welter of hope, fear and expectation which held Washington in its grip through the news of the atomic bombs, the entrance of Russia into the war and then the exciting flash from Japan that kept us on tenter-hooks so long. When there seemed little to contemplate about but the lush growth of evil which had sprung from the planting of the dragon's teeth of war, I found, strangely enough, in the office of the representative of India in Washington the belief that the war would turn out to be, in one respect, a blessing to that perturbed country.

India has furnished an army of 2½ million men (the largest volunteer force in the world) in the prosecution of this war and that army has turned out to be "the greatest school of adult education" in the world. That's what the Indians proudly call it. True, soldiers in other armies have been "taught while they fought," but few have ever been able to add so much to the total knowledge of their nation.

I am told that after the last war, when an Indian village was found, especially in the Punjab, which was a little better run, with more progressive ideas and a more active social consciousness, it would also be discovered that its moving spirit was an ex-soldier—an Indian (Hindu or Moslem, Rajput or Sikh, no matter) who had brought home ideas on sanitation and hygiene, co-operation and understanding, absorbed during his period of service at home or abroad. But now the potentialities of this military mission-aryship are immensely greater. Not merely because the Indian army is so much bigger, but because already it has served as a great melting pot, breaking down ancient prejudices and taboos which heretofore have made Indian unity impossible.

General's Spirit Hopeful Sign

If tall, lean and eager General Cariappa, with whom I talked at length when he was here on a mission connected with the founding of a new military academy in India, is typical, the army is indeed a force. His enthusiasm, his optimism and his energy are hopeful signs in themselves. I enjoyed that interview, seated in the office of the Agent General for India, where I heard this earnest man speak with an apparent sincerity and conviction which could not help but impress anyone who heard him.

General Cariappa was one of the first Indian cadets to be commissioned in the Indian army in 1920. As a young man he had not yet attained his majority. He has been in the army ever since and was the first Indian officer to command a battalion. He raised a machine-gun outfit himself and as lieutenant colonel led his men through the bitter days of the Burma campaign. Now he is a general staff officer, one of India's four brigadiers, and also a member of the army reorganization committee. It was in the latter capacity that he has just completed a tour of inspection of the British military schools at Woolwich and Sandhurst, then the Canadian school at Kingston, and finally West Point and some of our specialist schools. He hopes to take acceptable features of all these schools and combine them in the new Indian Military academy, the site of which has not yet been determined but the plans for which are well under way. The committee on reorganization also hopes to revise Indian preliminary education so that it will develop leadership.

When I saw General Cariappa he was politely but none the less deeply pained over some of the reports in the American press which belittled India's participation in the war. He explained (which we in Washington knew) that there were two Indian soldiers to every one British soldier in the Burma fighting.

General Cariappa is working to prepare a completely independent Indian army. It is also, I dare to suggest, for an independent India. As a soldier, the general refused to discuss politics, but he said that naturally every loyal Indian looks forward to the independence of his

country — "Something," he said, "which every one of our soldiers who has been fighting for the ideals of the United Nations expects." Like his fellow-countrymen and the British officers with whom I have talked, General Cariappa is proud of the seeds of unity which have been sown in the army.

In the first place, the army speaks and also reads and writes one language. Most of the soldiers when they enlist are of the peasant class and are illiterate. When their training commences they are immediately taught to read and write in Roman Urdu, which is a simplified Hindustani written with English (Roman) letters. Aside from the value of eradicating illiteracy, the knowledge and use of a common language removes one of the chief obstacles to harmony and understanding among the people. (There are 12 principal languages and 100 dialects spoken in India.) Many prejudices go when the language barrier is broken down. When the war is over at least 2½ million Indians will have the bond of a common tongue.

But more than that, they will have lived together, eaten together, in the field at least, lived in close companionship in barracks and developed teamwork and tolerance. There has been some suggestion that Basic English be made the official language of the army in India, and while, for the present, Hindustani appears more practical, the former has been taught on a large scale.

General Cariappa has a sense of humor and a perfect command of English (basic, colloquial and classic) in which to express it. (He went to school in England as a boy.) He told me the following story to illustrate the ramifications of the language problem in the Indian army:

A young British officer remarked to his native sergeant that it was really remarkable that in his comparatively small unit of only 300 men, six different languages were spoken.

"Oh, more than that, sir," the sergeant answered. "Nine different languages are spoken here. There are the six provincial languages. Then there is English, which you and I speak. Then there is Hindustani, which we all must speak. Then there is YOUR Hindustani."

Army With a Language Problem

It is true that most of the Indian army has remained within the continental limits of the country, but that is not really strange, General Cariappa explained, since it takes 18 men "in the tail" as he put it, to keep one fighting man going. Many foreigners, seeing so many uniforms in India, received the impression that the whole army was "sitting down." These men, of course, are not combat troops held back for political or other reasons, the general said, but are largely the work troops, the great service of supply required to keep the armies in the field going.

The general claims that Indian soldiers are second to none as fighting men. The greater proportion of them are Madrasi, not at all the traditional fighting tribes who in the past have constituted what was called the "martial race." That term, long outmoded, has long since been dropped. The excuse for its use disappeared much earlier.

In the past there may have been some basis for this concept. Fighting begets fighting. As the British conquest of India moved slowly northward it left a wake behind it, but ignited war ahead of it. So the northerners were the last whose vocation, or at least avocation, was mortal combat. The southerners returned to the gentler arts. But to return to the general. He quoted that truism which all military men know is sound: "There are no bad soldiers. There are only bad officers."

Let me end this column as I began it. If General Cariappa is typical of India's officers, there is hope, not only for a powerful Indian army, which I, with the rest of you, pray India will never need, but hope that here among these 2½ million men who have found a common tongue and a common purpose has been planted the leven of tolerance that may bring about the unity of a free India.

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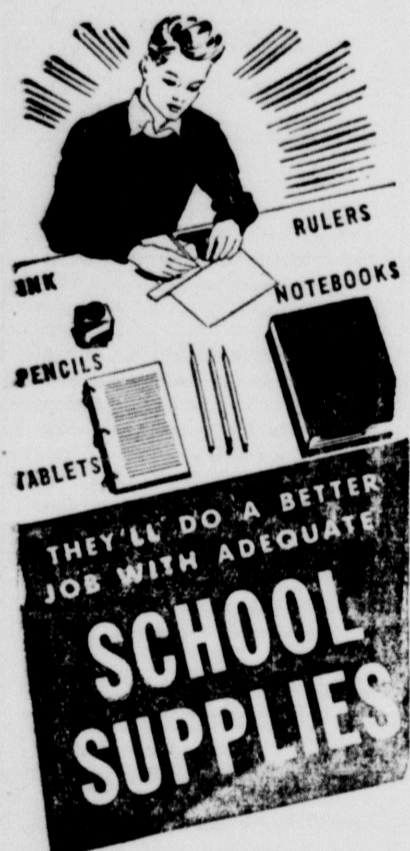
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While Mrs. Alfred Saathoff was
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 before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first
 Monday after the expiration of 42
 days from the date of issuance of
 this citation, the same being Monday
 the 24th day of September, A. D.,
 1945, at or before 10 o'clock a. m.
 before the Honorable District Court
 of Medina County, at the courthouse
 in Hondo, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed
 on the 29th day of May, 1944, at 10
 o'clock a. m.

The file number of said suit being
 No. 3915.

The names of the parties in said
 suit are: Norma Lee Stanley Graves,
 as plaintiff, and George Edward
 Graves, as defendant.

The nature of said suit being sub-
 stantially as follows, to wit: Suit for
 divorce on the grounds of cruel
 treatment by defendant toward the
 plaintiff, etc. Plaintiff alleges that
 on or about August 9th, 1940, in
 Twinsburg, State of Ohio, plaintiff
 was legally married to defendant,
 and they lived together as man and
 wife until on or about March 1st,
 1943, when defendant finally walked
 out on plaintiff and they have not
 lived together since. That no chil-
 dren were born to their marriage,
 and they own no property. Plaintiff
 prays for judgment dissolving the
 marriage contract now existing be-
 tween plaintiff and defendant, and
 for the use of her maiden sur-name
 of Stanley instead of the name of
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 sidence of the storm left a dry north
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THIS matter we are about to tackle may be a trifle over our head, but we'll take a shot at it just the same. It concerns concentration, reflexes and instinct, which at least work together, although entirely different. But they are the main foundations of any winning effort.

Reflex action, as you probably know, is co-ordinated response of eye, brain and muscle to some situation. For example, in boxing the eye sees an opening as brain and muscle respond in a split second.

There's no wasted delay. But as one gets older reflex action gets slower. The eye will see the opening but the muscle usually arrives a trifle too late.

As a concrete illustration consider Mel Hein in football. Year after year Mel had a quick flash of what was happening and he was usually on top of the play. He can still see what is taking place in a half-flash, but naturally after so many seasons of wear and tear his legs may not quite get there in time, although it is still amazing how many times big Mel is on hand at the right second.

Instinct and reflexes are something that can't be taught. You have them or you don't have them. Eddie Arcaro and Ted Atkinson will tell you that in any close spot it is instinct that directs the next move, for it must be done in less than a breath.

The instinct and the reflexes of such ball players as Ty Cobb, Babe Ruth and other leaders worked perfectly as a rule. They did the right thing subconsciously without any direct conscious thought attached. They rarely did the wrong thing. Jack Dempsey will tell you in his two closing fights with Gene Tunney that he could see openings which he could have used effectively in his earlier years. But he was no longer the Dempsey of Toledo, especially against the cleverness of a Tunney.

Mental Discipline

But concentration is another affair. It doesn't call for the split-second, the powder-flare speed the other two ingredients demand. Concentration demands the discipline of the mind or brain that in turn controls muscular movement. It is one of the rarest of all the competitive species, since it goes with mental punishment. It is something that must be forced and watched. It can never be taken for granted as it may slip from your hold like a greased eel.

To begin with, any extended concentration means punishment.

"One of the reasons I quit tournament golf," Bobby Jones told me, "was that I got tired of taking the beating I had to take through 72 holes of play, where I knew I couldn't afford to take my mind off the job."

Jones was one of the best of all concentrators.

"I find I can hit the ball as well as ever," Gene Sarazen says, "but I can't keep concentrating as I used to. I can't keep thinking through every shot to be played. My mind begins to wander."

Tunney was one of the best concentrators in all sport. Gene worked as hard on directing his mind as he ever worked on his legs or arms.

A few hours before facing Dempsey in Chicago, Tunney read some book—I've forgotten the name. But he could tell you everything he had read in that book. That means the top of mind control—with a million dollars at stake—and Jack Dempsey's punch just on ahead.

Few would believe the number of hours Tunney forced himself to practice this combination. "And it wasn't any fun," he added. "It was the hardest sort of work."

Walter Hagen could kid with you and laugh with you one minute, and a second later concentrate entirely on the shot to be played. Few are that lucky.

Think of Next Play

Few football players know the value of concentration as Mel Hein knew it. While the opposing team had the ball, he continually faced the possibilities of a pass, a hidden ball, a line thrust, a spinner or an end run. A good defensive back or a defensive lineman must have complete control of his thinking apparatus through every playing second. Hamburg of Navy belonged in this class. Blanchard and Davis of Army have this ability.

Most Notre Dame teams have been keen, alert, able concentrators on the next play. "I want your bodies physically relaxed—your minds always alert," Knute Rockne told and taught them.

Jack Johnson's concentration was almost entirely on defense—Jack Dempsey's on attack. Ty Cobb used to map out certain plays weeks in advance, and then be ready to use them when the right time arrived. He rarely overlooked the right time.

Without concentration you might not be able to use such natural gifts as reflexes or instinct.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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RECONVERSION PROBLEMS FACE OFFICIAL WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON.—A lively fuss is being raised against the government failure to provide for reconversion. The Mead committee said only half what it thought about the job being bungled, the senators privately conceding they were just trying to prod Mr. Truman gently into more forceful action. They really exposed nothing which has not been apparent for many months, as Mr. Roosevelt had no announced program, and Mr. Truman has been busy with San Francisco and Potsdam.

Behind the failure to make a plan (and this is apparent, if it has not been fully reported) is the scrapping between the various government departments. The army has never forgotten its scare at prematurely anticipating the end of the European war.

The army is keeping its production going at a terrific pace, and told the Mead committee (although this was not published in the report) that it is drafting 3,000 men a month while discharging 4,000 a month for a net discharge of only 1,000 a month.

To add fury to this plain muddle, the CIO, New Dealers and some others have been increasingly agitating for a vaster government spending program, like the old PWA, to take up a slack in employment, which has not yet developed, and is not immediately forecast in view of the national starvation for consumers goods and services, unless perchance chaotic management of the problem disrupts production.

INTERNAL BICKERING

To the problem, Mr. Truman put his best new man, John W. Snyder, who found it to be a nest of economic and political boya constrictors, and his grappling so far has not indicated whether he will throw them or they him.

So we have had such a condition as this following incident discloses: A business man came to Washington seeking authority to build a plant to supply parts for the automobile industry, admittedly the key in reconversion. He was told he could go ahead as his effort was immediately desirable. He then went to the steel manufacturers who informed him he could have no steel unless he had a priority. Washington thereupon refused to give him a priority.

This, as I say, is a known condition, but behind it is a truly major threat to reconversion, in the relationship of the unions and management, a fact not observed by the Mead committee, or fully reported. The administration has detected the importance of this all-controlling phase, as is evident in Labor Secretary Schwellenbach's promotion of a labor-management conference to plan a workable substitute for the no-strike pledge and perhaps a new labor board setup or at least to provide a sensible agreement, under which men may work and the nation produce in the brave new world.

A show-down between labor and management is coming, I am sure, before much reconversion can take place, I think it is planned. With the threat, publicly brandished by CIO leaders for a wave of strikes, the key automobile and other industries which CIO controls can hardly go far with much reconversion, even if the government requires the army to be reasonable and loosen up on men and materials.

Involved legitimately are the problems of prices and wages. These related problems are in a far worse muddle than the Washington reconversion machinery.

UNIONS SHOW GAINS

The union war worker is the man who made the biggest wage increase during the war. The Little Steel formula was shot so full of holes by the unions (upgrading pay devices, vacations, pay for portals to portals and back again to portals, etc.) that it stands only as a sieve against the largest group of the people, the middle class non-factory workers.

There are only 15 millions of people in the unions and 45 millions outside the unions. Their wages were rather effectively frozen by the government formula, while the unions went on up. But prices went up also, through the sieve of the OPA (black markets, and especially deteriorated goods and services).

In my non-factory town, for instance, the last bond drive could not meet its baby bond quota because the average man just did not have anything left after buying his family the necessities of life and paying his taxes. Those prices will not come down until reconversion has proceeded to the point where competition is restored, in both goods and services. Not until quality of goods and work are restored, and both become readily available, can the government do anything effective on price control, which is the essence of economic control.

Fall Daytime Fashions Are Type American Women Love to Wear

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



IT WOULD seem this year that American designers are breaking all previous records in creating the best looking clothes ever for smart all-around daytime wear. Made of sterling quality flannels, checks, gabardines, jerseys, homespun weaves and such, they have that thoroughbred look about them, yet styled as they are, with a sophisticated simplicity that bespeaks "class," they are just the type American women love to wear.

College and career girls needs must have clothes that are as good looking as the best of 'em together with a practicality that assures dependable wearableness. This fall you will be delighted with the smooth and distinctive styling given to even the simplest daytime suits and dresses.

The fashions from New York Dress Institute collections, here pictured, go to show what a treat is in store for you if you are looking for "style," quality and serviceability. To the right see a co-ed's dream, by the co-ed's favorite designer, Claire McCardell. This suit illustrates three of this top-flight designer's important trends in her current collections. They are the fitted "frontier" jacket with quaint leg-o'-mutton sleeves, the new curve-line wrap around skirt with definite fullness, and thirdly, the frontier hip pockets, giving a new widened line to the hips. This three-piece combines stunning gray flannel with zephyr knit in gray, black and white check. The buttons are silver, decorated with heraldic emblems. The suit is double stitched in black thread around the edges and the arm holes. The smartly styled dress to the

left tunes perfectly to the current fashion mood for classically simple clothes. It is outstanding because of the designer's novel and graceful manipulation of the self-fabric in way of the medieval-inspired "almoner" bag, ingeniously suspended from the waistline. Centuries ago bags of this type were carried by official dispensers of alms. In its modernized version this bag fits into the scheme of present-day fashion with high distinction. The deep armhole sleeves lend a definite note of chic. The new "rave" this season is to wear handsome gold or silver jewelry with dresses of sophisticated simplicity. Ideal is this gray crepe gown as a background for important jewelry pieces.

The diagonally closed bodice, the new rounded shoulderline and fluid sleeve treatment are styling points that combine to achieve the "new look" for the neat daytime dress centered in the picture. Black and white check wool in homespun weave is the material used. The selvedge edge of the fabric gives smart contrast. The extreme simplicity of this dress is typical of the fashions that best-dressed women are selecting for practical daytime wear.

For smart day fashions, gay little dresses are being made of a multi-colored narrow stripe jersey, which also works up charmingly in attractive two-piece jacket-with-skirt costumes. Bold contrast achieved with using jersey in three or more colors is played up in striking ways also. Vivid scarlet wool jackets with brass buttons are worn with neutral tweed skirts, or with sleek classroom dresses made of the now-modish gray flannels.

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With Sequin Accent



Suits for afternoon wear that take on beadwork and other glitter accent are in the news for this fall and winter. Black sequins, giving that gala look are used on the front of the jacket of the handsome black cocktail suit pictured. It is worth while keeping an eye on the suits that take on the glitter note. The idea is being carried out in unique ways for fall. Sometimes the glitter is applied in a beadwork design to one shoulder that looks as imposing as an official decoration. A favorite use of beads or sequin embroidery is seen on pockets, lapels and suit revers, on this otherwise simple suit.

Cotton Dresses Tune To Early Fall Theme

Women of smart fashion are setting a precedent by wearing their pretty cotton dresses and suits to the very last minute of summer and then on as long as warm weather lingers. At the current moment, best-dressed women are seen dining in fashionable hotels and restaurants looking their prettiest in their flower-fresh seersuckers that are as meticulously styled as if they were of crepe or sheer wool. Eye-catching are the pink suits of linen-like weave with their big pearlized plastic tied-on buttons. Black suits of washable weaves are proving most wearable in the between-season period. They are tuned into the early fall picture via stunning new neckwear items and dashing accessories such as a sequined crepe dickey or a satin gilet in a striking color.

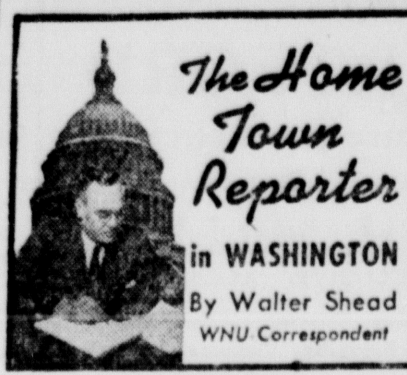
Corselets With Quaint

Peasant Look Are Chic

Those little laced-up-the-front corselets that look so quaintly peasant have become an important styling theme in present-day dress. Designers are playing them up for fall in connection with the now-so-modish midriff treatments of which you will see more as the season advances. Dresses with elaborate jeweled girdles, and richly embroidered stomachers done in the renaissance way are part of the story.

Hand Painted Girdles

Hand painted girdles are a new "find" in the corset departments. The young girl that adores pretty things will hail this new fashion trend with delight. Pussywillows, daisies, rosebuds and violets are gaily hand painted on shell pink girdles. Thus the humble girdle becomes a "thing of beauty" as they turn prose into poetry.



The Home Town Reporter

in WASHINGTON
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Farmers' Welfare Dependent On Industrial Prosperity

THE nation's six million farm families, together with other millions almost wholly dependent upon agriculture, should feel a deep and growing concern about forces now at work. These forces either will or will not bring about industrial peace, and a full and complete postwar economy in the country.

As so often has been pointed out, agriculture and the 35 million people supported by it are mainly dependent upon labor and industry for material prosperity. It is axiomatic there can be no prosperous agriculture without large purchasing power in the non-agricultural fields. Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson forcefully called attention to this fact recently in an address at Oklahoma A. & M. college when he said:

"Farmers cannot afford to forget that their income is derived mainly from the spending of non-farmers. If agriculture is to be prosperous, the first essential is that city people must have plenty of buying power—and that means full employment at good wages."

So farm leaders, during this congressional recess, are making an interim appraisal of pending legislation affecting agriculture directly, and labor legislation which will have an effect upon farm income. The Farmers Union, considered the most liberal of the farm organizations, is strongly in favor of the Murray full-employment bill. It also approves the proposed emergency unemployment compensation bill to give laid-off workers an additional \$25 for 26 weeks, and specifically favors the food allotment bill introduced by Senator Aiken (R., Vt.) which would provide more food for some 18 million low income families through a nation-wide food stamp plan.

Better Diet for All

Roughly, this measure has a two-fold purpose . . . to make an adequate diet possible for every family and to increase the demand for farm products. It is estimated that this will cost from \$750,000,000 in prosperous years to \$2,500,000,000 in depression years. This measure was introduced last year by Senator Aiken and Senator LaFollette (Prog., Wis.) but because of the war's uncertainty, no action was taken. Sen. Elmer Thomas (D., Okla.), chairman of the agricultural committee, is said to favor the measure.

It is significant that much of this legislation in behalf of labor was introduced by representatives from farm states. . . . Murray of Montana, Aiken, Vermont, LaFollette, Wisconsin. Senator Pepper (D., Fla.) introduced the minimum wage increase bill and Congressman Patman (D., Texas) sponsored the companion full-employment bill in the house.

There is an old adage that "you can't reason with a hungry man" and so empty stomachs have a direct bearing on political action and political beliefs. If we do not have a full postwar economy, then we may very well have thousands of empty stomachs. Hunger breeds socialism—or worse.

The American Farm Bureau federation, while it has not yet taken a definite stand on these specific measures, plans an executive board meeting in Chicago in September to draw up its legislative program in time for the scheduled opening of congress in October. It is certain, however, that the Farm Bureau recognizes that maintenance of a high national income in the postwar years with "full production and full employment" is imperative to our national welfare.

Economic Balance Sought

It is true that in some areas there have been rumblings from farmers against high wartime wages . . . that these wages have lured men away from farms . . . that workers may have saved enough to tide them over. Nevertheless, the consideration is now peacetime wages with shorter hours and no overtime. Labor does not expect to receive war wages in peace time, nor does the farmer expect to get war prices in peace time. What both farm and labor leaders here are striving for is a standard of wages and prices which will assure an economic balance in the postwar era.

High on the list of musts in agricultural legislation is the program supported by all farm organizations, to regroup farm credit and loaning agencies into one independent agency. This will mean a complete reorganization of the department of agriculture. Secretary Anderson has already made a start in this direction by revamping the war food agencies into commodity divisions, with a direct line of responsibility. The general idea behind the independent farm credit agency is still to loan federal money, but to create closer local control for its use.

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STAGE SCREEN RADIO
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By VIRGINIA VALE

WHEN Mary Pickford was picked by the winning contestant on the Mutual network's "Queen for a Day" program as the person the "Queen" wanted to have tea with, Mary liked the idea of the program so much that she invited the mother of Mervyn LeRoy to hear it broadcast. Mrs. LeRoy enjoyed the broadcast so much that she promptly called her son, and talked so enthusiastically that he decided to make a Technicolor picture on the "Queen for a Day" idea of creating 24-hour Cinderellas. Monogram played host to "Queens" on the successive days. They watched Peter Cookson, Warren William and Anne Gwynne work on the "Suspense" set, then visited the night-club set of "Swing Parade."

Susan Hayward has left Paramount, where she got her start, and signed with Walter Wanger for seven years. Her first picture will be the technicolor Western, "Can-



SUSAN HAYWARD

yon Passage," with Dana Andrews and Brian Donlevy. She'll be working at Universal, right along with her husband, Jess Barker, who's playing a featured role in "As It Was Before."

There's a fine new radio show scheduled to start September 11. Cornelia Otis Skinner and Roland Young will be heard in more of the delightful "William and Mary" sketches, written by Miss Skinner, which were heard on the air a while ago. Barry Wood will be the singing master of ceremonies, and Ray Block's orchestra, a new mixed choral group, and a guest star will complete the program.

"A Night in Casablanca" will launch the Marx Brothers as independent film producers, and the Marxes will try it out on a stage tour of Pacific coast theaters and service camps. That is, they'll do five sketches that have been developed from the script, about 400,000 persons will see them, and the material that gets by with this critical audience will go into the picture.

Jack Douglas, writer and actor on the Phil Harris radio show, was given a baby shower by Harris and the cast when John Douglas Jr. arrived. One gift was a cradle which has rocked the babies of the Ronald Colmans, Ruth Hussey and Constance Moore, respectively.

William Goetz, head of International Pictures, is "agin" long feature films, so his "Tomorrow Is Forever," starring Claudette Colbert, Orson Welles and George Brent, will reach the screen in less than 10,000 feet—will run less than two hours.

Twentieth Century-Fox plans to remake that lovely story, "Berkeley Square," in which Leslie Howard and Heather Angel originally appeared. But the story will be rewritten, and this time Maureen O'Hara, Gregory Peck and Jeanne Crain will have the leading roles.

"The Strange Adventure" has an Academy Award line-up; Clark Gable, Greer Garson, Thomas Mitchell, Director Victor Fleming and Cameraman Joseph Ruttenberg have all won their Oscars. The chickens which chase the actors have no Oscars, but they're prize stunt hens.

Want to appear on a quiz show? Then take a tip from Quizmaster Fred Uhl, who selects guest contestants for the Wednesday night CBS "Detect and Collect" show. Fred says he looks the audience over and picks those with "the most eager hands."

ODDS AND ENDS—Cpl. Mickel Panoff is spending his 30-day furlough working in "Night and Day" at Warners. After two and a half years in the Coast Guard, Gig Young returns to Warners; he was last seen in "Old Acquaintance," with Bette Davis. . . 20th Century-Fox has reappointed Allen Joslyn for another year—he's currently appearing with Peggy Ann Garner in the film version of "Junior Miss." . . Dix Davis, "Randolph" on the NBC "Date With Judy" program, has signed for the role of Hugh Hefner's son in the Sunday CBS "That's My Pop." . . RKO will have two Danny Kaye technicolor comedies in 1945-46.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Luscious Ice Cream—Favorite Summertime Dessert (See Recipes Below)

Select Desserts Carefully

The choice of dessert should be a careful one—a light dessert if the meal has been rich and hearty; a substantial one if the menu has been on the light side. A dessert should be the perfect close to a meal, not just something thrown in because we think there ought to be an "ending" to eating.

One of the best ways to selecting the appropriate dessert is the guide that the seasons offer. In summer we can depend upon fruits and berries, plentiful supplies of eggs, milk and cream. In winter, of course, there are some fruits, but it's a good idea to make puddings the mainstay.

Ice cream is a perfect choice for warmer weather. If you want a dressed-up dessert, you can round it out with cake and berries; for simplicity, just serve the velvety mixture with fresh berries or crushed fruit sauce.

Here is a Lemon Cream that has a piquant flavor and is a perfect close to a light, cool supper when served with fresh berries:

Lemon Cream.

(Serves 6)

- 2 well-beaten eggs
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup light corn syrup
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup light cream
- 1/2 cup lemon juice
- 1 cup crushed, sweetened berries
- Whole berries for garnish

Beat eggs and sugar. Mix corn syrup, milk, cream and lemon juice. Add to egg mixture. Freeze in automatic refrigerator tray until just set. Beat until light. Add crushed berries. Continue freezing until firm, about 2 1/2 to 3 hours. Garnish with whole berries.

An unusual sherbert with a tang that is bound to please is the following, using ginger ale:

Ginger Ale Sherbert.

(Serves 6 to 8)

- 1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin
- 1/2 cup cold water
- 1 cup hot water
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup lemon juice
- 2 cups unsweetened pineapple juice
- 1 cup water
- 1 pint pale, dry ginger ale

Soften gelatin in cold water; dissolve in hot water. Add sugar and stir until dissolved. Cool; add lemon juice, water, pineapple juice, water and ginger ale. Freeze in ice cream freezer until crank turns hard. Remove dasher and pack.

Let stand 2 to 3 hours before serving.

Have you ever thought of using candy as a sweetener? Here is a suggestion for a deliciously flavored dessert that uses no sugar at all.

Lynn Says

Make New Things From Old: Old wornout old tablecloths can be made into attractive place mats by cutting them into squares with pink shears.

If towels have faded, dye them in colors to match the bathroom.

Old shower curtains can be cut down in size and used as curtains in the pantry, bathroom or kitchen.

When shades become discolored and old, they may be covered with attractive prints in cotton, cretonne or chintz to match the room's decorative scheme.

Wornout pajamas with the leg parts still good can be used to pad out the ironing board by cutting to size.

Discarded curtains make nice pot holder filler; or, they may be sewed together (six layers) after cutting, into dishcloths.

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Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menus

- Ham and Egg Souffle
- Green Lima Beans
- French Fried Onions
- Molded Apricot-Grape Salad
- Vanilla Ice Cream with Jam
- Beverage
- Nut Bread

It's combined with chocolate for a flavor combination hard to resist:

Peppermint Wafer Dessert.

(Serves 9)

- 1/2 pound peppermint stick candy
- 1/2 cup light cream
- 1/2 tablespoon unflavored gelatin
- 2 tablespoons cold water
- 1 1/2 cups evaporated milk, chilled and whipped
- 1/2 pound chocolate wafers

Crush candy; add light cream. Heat in double boiler until candy dissolves. Add gelatin softened in cold water. Chill until partially set. Fold in beaten, chilled evaporated milk. Break chocolate wafers in half and stand around outside of a 9-inch pan. Place layers of wafers on bottom; spread with 1/2 of the gelatin mixture. Top with second half of wafers and spread with remaining gelatin mixture. Chill for 12 hours. Cut in squares and serve.

Cherries are another great favorite for dessert. The family will enjoy these tarts made with either fresh or canned cherries:

Cherry Tarts

(Serves 6)

- 2 cups canned or fresh sour, pitted cherries
- 6 tablespoons sugar
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/2 tablespoons butter
- 2 tablespoons currant jelly
- 6 baked tart shells

Drain cherries. Mix together sugar, cornstarch and salt in saucepan; add cherry juice or a small amount of water (1/2 cup). Cook together 15 to 20 minutes until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from fire; add butter and jelly. Fold in cherries. Pour into tart shells. Bake in a hot oven (475 degrees) about 5 minutes.

There are some evenings when most of us enjoy a bit of well-chilled fruit with a few crispy cookies. In this case, you will want the cookie jar full with these Orange Honey.

Cherries that taste better as they mellow:

Orange Honey

(Makes 7 1/2 Dozen)

- 3 cups sifted flour
- 3 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 cup honey
- 1/4 cup chopped nuts
- 1/4 cup chopped candied orange peel
- 1/4 cup chopped candied lemon peel

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cream together shortening and sugar until light and fluffy. Add egg and vanilla extract. Beat well. Add flour mixture, nuts, orange and lemon peels to creamed mixture. Mix well. Drop by teaspoonfuls into well greased baking sheets. Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees) for 10 minutes.

Mix: papertes, (Yield: 2 1/2 dozen, 2 inches in diameter)

- 2 eggs
- 1 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup flour
- 1/4 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup chopped nut meats
- 1/2 cup whole bran

Beat eggs slightly; add remaining ingredients in the order given. Fill small buttered pans 2/3 full of mixture. Bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven about 15 minutes. Cool slightly before removing from pan. Dust with powdered sugar.

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McGOFFEY'S FIRST READER

Oh, see the automobile! It is a new automobile. How do you know it is a new automobile?

Because no door is hanging by one hinge and most of the windshield glass is still intact.

Who is the man looking at the new auto?

The name is Joe. Will it do Joe any good to look at the new auto?

No.

Why will it not do Joe any good to look at the new auto?

Because it is just a sample. Is it the only sample of the postwar auto?

No, some company brings out one every week.

What is the sense of letting Joe see samples of the postwar auto if Joe cannot buy one?

The idea is to cut Joe in on a peek into the future, f.o.b. Detroit.

What has the postwar auto that the present models lack?

Everything, including a windshield wiper that works, and handles that don't come out in your hand.

Has the postwar auto many innovations?

It photographs as if it had.

What's so different?

The front. But don't they always change the front of an auto?

Yes, but this time they have gone the limit.

What is that big thing behind which the car seems to be hiding?

That is the postwar bumper.

Will there be more collisions in the postwar world?

Perhaps not, but they will be louder.

Where is the engine?

The engine is where it always was.

Wasn't there some talk of putting it under the rear seat?

Yes, there has been talk of that ever since Henry Ford first frightened a horse.

Will there be an engine under the rear seat some day?

Not until they develop asbestos pants.

Is the gas tank in the same location?

Yes, the gas tank is in the same location.

Couldn't they put that up front as a novelty?

Only if you think fireworks constitute a novelty.

Oh, look at Joe. He is getting into his old flivver.

Why?

Because Joe knows a wreck in the hand is worth two blueprints in the bush in covering a distance between two given points.

INFLATION NOTE

Yearling race horses are bringing terrific prices at the summer dispersal sales. The average is around \$7,000. In some cases they are bringing \$30,000 and more.

A few years ago at Saratoga there was the other extreme and we recall Tom Platt, a noted breeder, withdrawing his yearlings in a huff when the auctioneer found it hard to get bids much over \$500.

Does mother quarrel with her kin? Does dad get ugly on one gin? Oh, daughter, will you ride or hike Quite swiftly to the nearest mike?

Does little Jennie think her pop Loves some girl in a barber shop? Does popper think it's wrong or right You'll have to listen Sunday night!

Does little Edgar, nearly eight, Play pool and drink and stay up late? Should he be spanked or viewed with pride? The air-wave judges will decide!

Their troubles some folks love to share When they can get upon the air; Their private lives to all they'll show— If they are on the radio.

There will be poems very deep With organ tunes to make you weep; I think I'll beat my wife up so We'll both get on the radio!

W. B. Stout, past president of the Society of Automotive Engineers, predicts that an atomic engine no bigger than a human fist will some day drive an auto for life. There will probably be some fellow who will always complain that he is not getting high test electrons.

HONK! HONK! It's motor ran by atoms— He thought that it was swell; He merely pre-ated a bullet— Farwell, old man, farewell!

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Keep cooked meat covered. Chopped and sliced cooked meats spoil more quickly than meat in the piece. Cut or chop just before using. Keep meat sandwiches and salads cold right up to time of serving.

To clean fireplace bricks, cover them with paste made of powdered pumice and household ammonia. Let dry for an hour, then scrub the bricks with warm, soapy water.

To exterminate white flies on house plants, cover with a newspaper canopy and have someone blow smoke under it.

To keep a hem even, in a dress or other garment, after you have sewn an inch or two, insert a piece of cardboard the width of the hem and about six inches long and slip it along as you sew.

Wipe off the fruit you have bought with a clean, slightly damp cloth before putting it away. This will clean it and check any rot that may have gotten on it from other fruits.

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D'HANIS NEWS

(Late last week)

August 15.

Mrs. Dioclasio Sequeda of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Mrs. Mabel Hall and Mrs. Foster Glasscock of San Antonio, and Mrs. Lonnie Glasscock, Sr., of Mathis, were overnight guests of Mrs. Woodrow Glasscock last Friday.

Bobby Rothe and John Henry Roemer returned home Saturday after a week's visit in San Antonio with Peter and Paul Koch.

Mrs. Ernest Thorpe of Houston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Rieber.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ney and Mr. and Mrs. John Zinsmeyer spent the weekend in San Antonio as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Scott. Cpl. Lawrence Huser, who is a returnee from West Africa where he contracted rheumatic fever, was at home from the SAACC Hospital last week.

Sgt. Oscar Rohrbach and Sgt. Elmer Rohrbach, brothers, had the pleasure of meeting in Okinawa recently, while over in China S/Sgt. Hilmar J. Koch and Pvt. Bernard Zinsmeyer, uncle and nephew, were in the same city for several days without seeing each other.

BABY JIMMY ROTHE BURIED

At 10 o'clock on the morning of Friday, August 10, in a quiet service in Holy Cross Cemetery with Rev. J. J. Gerbermann officiating and with only a few relatives and close friends in attendance, was buried little James Fohn Rothe, two-weeks-old son of S/Sgt. and Mrs. Howard A. Rothe of D'Hanis. Lawrence Rothe and Herman Fohn, uncles of the baby, were pallbearers. Born in Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio, on July 26, 1945, the infant apparently was in good health until the afternoon of August 8, and within several hours his tiny soul was with the angels.

Their many friends sympathize with those whose lives were brightened but so short a time by his presence; the parents; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fohn and Mr. Eric Rothe; and the two surviving great-grandmothers, Mrs. Jacob Kelly of Hondo and Mrs. Emma Rothe.

August 22

Mrs. John Rieber entertained with three tables of contract bridge when the Bridge Club met in her home on Thursday. Prizes went to Mrs. Ed Finger for high score, Mrs. O. J. Reinhart for second high, Mrs. Joe Rieber and Mrs. Ernest Thorpe for guests. Others present were club members and the following guests: Mrs. O. W. Tondre, Mrs. John Tondre, Mrs. Louis Lutz, Mrs. Walter Burrell, and Miss Carmen Boog.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nester and son, Johnny, and Edward Weynand spent Sunday in Piedras Negras and Villa Acuna, Mexico. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schawe of Knippa.

Seaman Weldon Weynand, who has completed his boot training in San Diego, Calif., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Weynand.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith, Mrs. Melvin Amecker and little daughter, Linda, Mrs. Thomas Smith and little daughter, Patsy, of San Antonio, and Mrs. Pierce Stacy and son, Pat, of Bryan, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Franger. Miss Elizabeth Franger, who had spent a week's vacation with her parents, returned to the city with them.

Mrs. S. H. Willis has as a guest her mother, Mrs. Lindhorst, of Cameron. The Willis family and their guest left Monday for a trip to Old Mexico.

Dorothy Rothe returned home Saturday after visiting Joan Eoon at Hondo. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Finger and little daughter, Carolyn, of San Antonio spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mrs. Howard Rothe has returned from Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio, and is convalescing in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fohn.

SHOWER HONORS MRS. FOWLER

A lovely tea and miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. August Nester honored Mrs. Bill Fowler, the former Miss Stella Nester, on Sunday afternoon from three to six.

The guests were received by Mrs. August Nester, the honoree, and the latter's mother, Mrs. Henry Nester. Mrs. Fowler wore a two-piece frock of navy blue with a white jabot; her corsage was of white asters. Her mother was in black sheer and Mrs. August Nester was in white, both wearing harmonizing shoulder corsages. Miss Ruby Nester, sister of the honoree, was in charge of the register.

Mrs. Douglas Lanford and Mrs. Maurice Nester ushered guests through the gift rooms, which were adorned with colorful zinnias and where many attractive gifts were on display.

In the dining room the table was covered with a cloth of fillet and centered with a low arrangement of white queen's crown on a reflector flanked by white candles in crystal holders. Sandwiches, cake, and iced tea were served by Mrs. Arthur Nester and Mrs. Robert Grollmund, alternating with Mrs. Oscar Nester and Mrs. James Johnson.

All the participants were attired in attractive street-length dresses with shoulder corsages. Besides those mentioned above, the hostesses were Mesdames John Batot, William Zerr, Ed Nester, Will James, O. J. Wheat, Russell Attaway, Virgil Banta, and Martin Nester.

August 29th.

Seaman Sebastian Wolff and "Sea-Bee" Weldon Weynand returned to their respective duties on the West Coast last Saturday, when they

flew to San Francisco from Hondo in a B-24. The flight took four hours.

Mrs. Patrick Kelly left Thursday for San Antonio to join Sgt. Kelly, who had spent several weeks at McCloskey General Hospital in Temple. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wolff are the parents of an infant son, born on August 24 in the Nix Hospital, San Antonio.

Mrs. M. L. Riley had as a guest last week her sister, Mrs. Basil Simmons, of Houston. With the Riley children, Helen and Mary Calkin, they spent several days in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ephraim and son, Paul, left Friday for Lexington where they were present for the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. Ephraim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ephraim. They also visited in Rockdale before returning home. Mrs. Merlin Nester and children of Pumpville and Mrs. Roy Nester and sons of San Antonio visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Woodrow Glasscock returned home Friday from San Antonio where she had spent a week as the guest of relatives.

Miss Carrie Langfeld went to San Antonio Tuesday and is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Rohrbach.

Seaman 1/c August Britz Jr. is in a hospital in San Diego, Calif., after many months of service at sea. Lt. and Mrs. W. M. Bailey and little son, Burl, of Frederick, Oklahoma, were guests in the Ed T. Nester home in D'Hanis last week. They now have returned home to report back at Frederick Field, Okla. During their visit, Lt. and Mrs. Bailey and son accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ed T. Nester, Mrs. Ivan Nester and children, Joe and Joan, to Garner Park last Thursday.

D'HANIS SCHOOLS TO OPEN SEPTEMBER 10TH

The D'Hanis Public Schools will open at 9 A. M. Monday, September 10th. Pupils will register, receive books, and be assigned lockers. Pupils will be dismissed at 12 o'clock the first day. Regular classes will begin Tuesday morning at 9 A. M.

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10:30 A. M. English divine service.

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AN APPRECIATION

We wish to thank all those who helped extinguish the fire at our place on Friday evening, August 24th. Your prompt assistance helped to save much of our property that would have otherwise been destroyed but for your timely help. Gratefully yours, MR. AND MRS. ALFRED SAATHOFF.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks are extended friends and relatives for their expressions of sympathy to us on the death of our beloved husband and father, the late Harm Gerdes, and for the beautiful flowers at the funeral. We are especially grateful to Rev. C. Weeber for his comforting words and to the Lutheran Choir for the beautiful songs rendered at the services. Every act of kindness from each and all of you will be gratefully remembered.

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A large number of Hondo people attended the annual celebration of St. Louis Parish in Castroville last Sunday. Probably the largest gathering in the history of the homecomings was in attendance, many renewing old friendships and all enjoying the fine barbecue dinner and the entertainment features.

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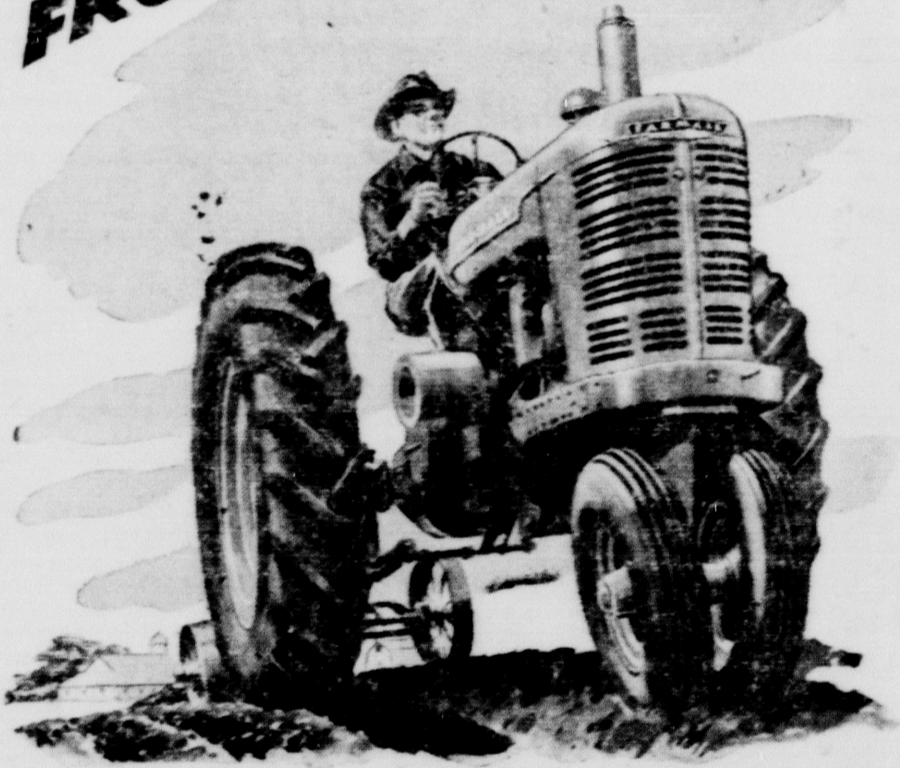
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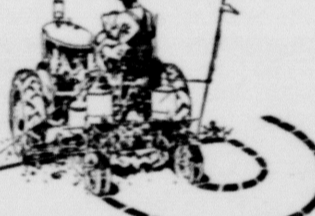
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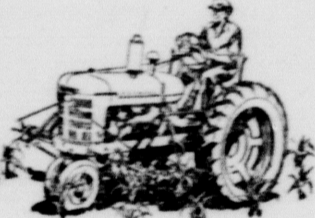
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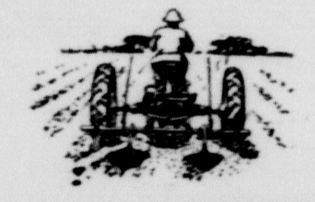
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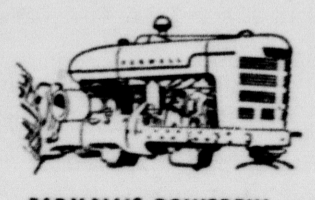
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